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Application No.

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SUPPLEMENT AND FOODSTUFF, AND METHODS FOR

PREPARING SAME

Examiner

Oluwatosin A. Ogunbiyi

Attorney's Docket

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TC Art Unit: 1645

PREPARATION,

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.114

VIA FACSIMILE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination of the above-identified application. Authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$810.00) per §1.17(e).

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[X] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on September 8, 2008 per §1.116.

Transmitted herewith are the following:

- [] Amendment/Reply
- [] Affidavit/Declaration
- [] Information Disclosure Statement
- [X] A Petition for Extension of Time for one month is hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 in the amount of \$130.00 for the cost of same.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

[] Other:	
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## REMARKS

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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